



SOLOMON OLIVER, JR.

CHIEF JUDGE
U.S. DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

Judge Solomon Oliver, Jr. was appointed to the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio by President Clinton on May 9, 1994. Currently, he serves as the Chief Judge of that court.

Solomon Oliver, Jr. was born in Bessemer, Alabama, the fourth of ten children of Reverend Solomon Oliver and Mrs. Willie Lee Oliver. He attended the public schools of Bessemer.

Oliver graduated from the College of Wooster with honors in 1969, majoring in philosophy and political science. He received a J.D. degree from New York University in 1972, and a Master's degree in Political Science from Case Western Reserve University in 1974.

Oliver served as Assistant Professor of Political Science at the College of Wooster from 1972 to 1975. From 1975 to 1976, he served as a law clerk to the late Judge William H. Hastie of the U.S. Third Circuit Court of Appeals. From 1976 to 1982, Oliver served with the U.S. Justice Department as an Assistant U.S. Attorney in Cleveland. From July, 1978 to March, 1982, he was Chief of the Civil Section of the United States Attorney's Office. In March of 1982, he became Chief of Appellate Litigation in that office. Oliver joined Cleveland-Marshall College of Law of Cleveland State University as a faculty member in the fall of 1982. From May, 1991 to May, 1994, he served as Associate Dean of Faculty and Administration at the Law School.

Judge Oliver has written articles and lectured on a wide range of topics at colleges and universities, at continuing legal education seminars and at judicial conferences. Judge Oliver was especially gratified to deliver a keynote address entitled, "The Role of Judicial Review in a Democracy" in March of 1995 at a conference of East African judges in Arusha, Tanzania. His most recent publication is a chapter in a six-volume treatise entitled *Business and Commercial Litigation in Federal Courts*.

Oliver has received various awards, including the Distinguished Alumni Award from the College of Wooster and the Distinguished Alumni Award from New York University Black, Latino, Asian Pacific American Law Alumni Association.

He is a member of the American Law Institute, the Board of Trustees of the College of Wooster and a Sixth Circuit Representative to the Judicial Conference of the United States. Judge Oliver also has served as Secretary to the Council of the American Bar Association (ABA) Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar, as well as on that Section's Law School Accreditation Committee and its Standards Review Committee. He was also a member of the ABA Litigation Section's Jury Initiatives Task Force and has co-chaired that Section's Minority Trial Lawyer Committee.

The Pledge of Allegiance

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."



Introductions

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Master of Ceremonies

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* National Anthem

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America The Beautiful

Flag Day Greetings

U.S. Army 235th Birthday

Community Covenant Signing Ceremony

Guest Speaker

Naturalization Ceremony

* Blessing of American Flags

God Bless The USA

* Benediction

* Retiring of Colors

* AUDIENCE PLEASE STAND

FLAG DAY 2010

TWO HUNDRED THIRTY THIRD ANNIVERSARY
&

U.S. Army 235th Birthday

&

Naturalization Ceremony

Monday, June 14th, 2010 12:00 NOON

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Chief Judge Solomon Oliver, Jr. - United States District Court

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United States Citizenship and Immigration Services

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In commemoration of Flag Day, the Joint Veterans Commission of Cuyahoga County with the support of the Memorial Day Association of Greater Cleveland, will be giving out flags and a Flag Etiquette Card, to all who attend the ceremony. Flags given out are those that honored Veterans' graves on Memorial Day in previous years. We will also give out flags and the Flag Etiquette Cards between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. to the first 500 fellow veterans and citizens who come by the location of the ceremony (walk or drive) but are not able to stay for the ceremony. Our mission is to involve our community, the families and especially the children in carrying on **The Legacy of Care**, honoring our Veterans and our Flag beyond Memorial Day and Flag Day.

Joint Veterans Commission of Cuyahoga County (JVCOCC)

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The Joint Veterans Commission of Cuyahoga County recognizes our continuing partner, the **U.S. Army Recruiting Battalion in Cleveland**, as well as the following individuals and organizations for their support and contributing to the success of this event, through their generous volunteer activity, financial contributions or special services provided.

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